

FUNERAL MOUNTAINS WILDERNESS
25,738 Acres
Designated October 31, 1994 by the California Desert Protection Act,
Public Law 103-433

This is the final legal description as required in Section 103(b) of the above mentioned Act. It describes the boundary for the Funeral Mountains Wilderness Area located in Inyo County, California and managed by the Bureau of Land Management. The boundary is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the corner of sections 4 and 5, on the north boundary of T. 25 N., R. 5 E., S.B.M., said point being the point of beginning;

thence easterly, between sections 4 and 32 to point 1, the corner of sections 32 and 33, T. 26 N., R. 5 E.;

thence northerly, between section 32 and 33, sections 28 and 29, and sections 20 and 21, to point 2, the 1/4 section corner of sections 20 and 21;

thence northwesterly to point 3, the center 1/4 section corner of section 17;

thence northerly on the north-south centerline of section 17 and the north-south centerline of section 8 to point 4, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet southerly of the centerline of a jeep trail;

thence westerly, parallel with and 30 feet southerly of said centerline to point 5, the intersection of the line between sections 7 and 18;

thence southwestwesterly to point 6, U.S.G.S. triangulation station "Rose", located on a knob on a ridgeline in the northeast 1/4 of section 18;

thence southwestwesterly along said ridgeline to point 7, Bat Mountain Peak, having an elevation of 3279 feet, as shown on the 7 1/2 minute U.S.G.S. quadrangle "Franklin Well, Calif.-Nev.," Provisional Edition 1987;

thence southwestwesterly continuing along said ridgeline to point 8, the intersection of the range line between T. 26 N., Rs. 4 and 5 E.;

thence northerly on said rangeline to point 9, the corner of sections 13, 18, 19 and 24;

thence westerly to point 10, the protracted section corner of sections 14, 15, 22, and 23, T.26 N., R. 4E., SBM;

thence northwesterly to point 11, the intersection of the Death Valley National Park boundary, 50 feet northerly of the terminus of the centerline of a jeep trail located near a prospect located approximately 0.25 miles northwesterly of elevation point 2600T, as depicted on the 7 1/2 minute U.S.G.S. quadrangle "East of Echo Canyon, Calif.-Nev.," Provisional Edition 1987;

thence northwesterly coincident with the Death Valley National Park boundary northwesterly to point 12, the high point inside the 3320 foot contour interval being near the terminus of the ridge line, in protracted section 9, T. 26 N., R. 4 E., SBM, and depicted on the 7 1/2 minute U.S.G.S. quadrangle "East of Echo Canyon, Calif.-Nev.," Provisional Edition 1987;

thence southwesterly, coincident with the Death Valley National Park boundary, along a southwesterly trending ridge line, approximately 2.3 miles, to point 13, elevation point 4758T, as depicted on the 7 1/2 minute U.S.G.S. quadrangle "East of Echo Canyon, Calif.," Provisional Edition 1987;

thence southwesterly, coincident with the Death Valley National Park boundary, to point 14, elevation point 3900T, as depicted on the 7 1/2 minute U.S.G.S. quadrangle, "East of Ryan, Calif.," Provisional Edition 1988

thence southwesterly, coincident with the Death Valley National Park boundary, to point 15, the intersection of the centerline of a jeep trail (now a drainage diversion) with a line parallel with and 300 feet northerly of the centerline of State Route 190, said point being near elevation point 2950T, as depicted on the 7 1/2 minute U.S.G.S. quadrangle, "East of Ryan, Calif.-Nev.," Provisional Edition 1988;

thence southeasterly, leaving the Death Valley National Park boundary, parallel with and 300 feet northerly of said centerline of State Route 190 to point 16, the intersection with the north-south centerline of section 17, T. 25 N., R. 5 E.;

thence northeasterly to point 17, the 1/4 section corner of sections 8 and 9;

thence northerly, between sections 8 and 9, and sections 4 and 5 to the point of beginning.

End of Description

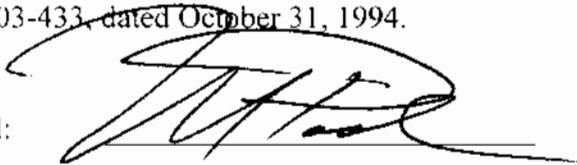
The above description containing approximately 25,738 acres utilizes the Death Valley Junction, East of Echo Canyon, East of Ryan, and Franklin Well 7.5 minute quadrangle maps prepared by the USGS. The boundary calls listed herein are in part a result of scaling distances from said quad maps and are not a result of survey. All courses have been depicted upon the above mentioned quad maps and are made a part of this official record. Acreage is calculated from the BLM California State Office ArcInfo wilderness coverage. For boundary segments shared by the

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National Park Service and the Bureau of Land Management, the paragraphs above reflect the legal description text for the Death Valley National Park boundary, dated July 18, 1996.

I hereby certify the legal description and map herewith represent the location of the boundary of the Funeral Mountains Wilderness area designated by the California Desert Protection Act, Public Law 103-433, dated October 31, 1994.

Signed:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Pool", written over a horizontal line.

Date

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Mike Pool
State Director, California